

FCC Actions

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Applications Cont.:

TENDERED FOR FILING

AM-1220 kc
E. M. McElroy and J. E. Reynolds d/b as Magic City Bstg. Co., Birmingham, Ala.—CP new standard station 1220 kc 1 kw D.

AM-1510 kc
Reub Williams & Sons Inc., Warsaw, Ind.—CP new standard station 1510 kc 1 kw D.

AM-1540 kc
James H. Furns, Monroe, Mich.—CP new standard station 1540 kc, 250 w D.

TV-76-82 mc
Central Bstg. Co., Davenport, Iowa—CP new commercial television station on Channel 5, 76-82 mc, ERP vis. and aur. 22.9 kw.

TV-210-216 mc
Copper City Bstg. Corp., Utica, N. Y.—CP new commercial television station on Channel 13, 210-216 mc ERP vis. 15 kw, aur. 11.3 kw.

TV-192-198 mc
Larus & Bro. Co. Inc., Richmond, Va.—CP new commercial television station on Channel 10, 192-198 mc, ERP vis. 23.5 kw, aur. 11.75 kw.

March 24 Decisions . . .

BY THE COMMISSION

Petition Denied

WCNT Centralia, Ill.—Denied petition for review directed against denial by Motions Commissioner on March 12 of request for special temporary authority to operate station WCNT after sunset March 12, 18, 19 and 20. Action taken March 19.

Investigation Authorized

Upon consideration of complaint and associated documents filed by Radio News Club of Hollywood, Calif., against G. A. Richards, president of KMPC Los

Angeles, concerning broadcasting of news over that station. Commission on March 19 authorized investigation of matter covered by complaint with respect to operations of stations KMPC Los Angeles, WJR Detroit and WGAR Cleveland.

BY COMMISSIONER JONES

Petition Granted

Radio Modesto Inc., Modesto, Calif.—Granted petition for extension of time in which to file proposed findings in re proceedings in Dockets 7830, 8353, and time was extended to April 23.

Hearing Scheduled

WPAB Ponca, P. R.—Scheduled hearing on application for renewal of license for May 5.

Hearing Continued

Continued consolidated hearing in re KGO San Francisco et al from April 5 to June 14.

BY COMMISSION EN BANC

FM Authorizations

Authorized cond. grants for two Class A and one Class B FM stations; issued CPs for five Class A and ten Class B FM outlets and authorized in lieu of previous cond. CPs for two Class A and ten Class B stations. (See story this issue.)

Petition Dismissed

Fulton County Bstg. Corp., Atlanta, Ga.—Dismissed as moot petition directed against Commission's action of Sept. 11, 1947, cond. granting FM application of DeKalb Bstg. Co., Decatur, Ga.

TV Waiver Extended

Pending consideration of petition by Television Bcstrs. Assn. to provide different basis for determining number of hours of service which television stations should render, Commission continued waiver of Sec. 3.651(a) of rules until June 30. Rule provides minimum of two hours of TV service per day and not less than 28 hours per week and has been waived at three-month intervals since adoption.

March 24 Applications . . .

ACCEPTED FOR FILING

AM-1230 kc
Faulkner County Bstg. Co., Conway, Ark.—CP new standard station 1230 kc 250 w unli.

License for CP
WAVU Albertville, Ala.—License to cover CP new standard station.

KCRA Sacramento, Calif.—License to cover CP change frequency etc.

AM-970 kc
Lincoln Bstg. Co., Springfield, Ill.—CP new standard station 970 kc 1 kw DA-2 unli. AMENDED to change type trans.

AM-1130 kc
WCAR Pontiac, Mich.—CP change power and hours from 1 kw D to 50 kw unli, install DA-DN (2). AMENDED to change power to 10 kw-N 50 kw-D, change DA (1130 kc).

Modification of License
WGLN Glen Falls, N. Y.—Mod. license to increase power from 100 w DN to 250 w DN. AMENDED to request CP to change frequency from 1230 kc to 1280 kc, change power to 1 kw DA-DN.

Modification of CP
Northwestern Ohio Bstg. Corp., Lima, Ohio—Mod. CP new standard station, to change DA-DN to DA-N and for extension of commencement and completion dates.

WTWS Clearfield, Pa.—Mod. CP new standard station for extension of completion date.

KSDN Aberdeen, S. D.—Same.

AM-1240 kc
Metropolitan Bstg. Co., Alamo Heights, Tex.—CP new standard station 1240 kc 250 w unli. Contingent upon KMAC being granted change of facilities.

License for CP
KHBR Hillsboro, Tex.—License to cover CP new standard station.

Modification of CP
WDEV Waterbury, Vt.—Mod. CP change hours etc., for extension of completion date.

KRFM Fresno, Calif.—Mod. CP new FM station to change ERP from 69.8 kw to 70 kw, increase ant. height above average terrain from 1850 to 1925 ft.

License for CP
WCNB-FM Connersville, Ind.—License to cover CP new FM station.

Modification of CP
WGBX-FM Springfield, Mo.—Mod. CP new FM station for extension of completion date.

License for CP
WDOS-FM Oneonta, N. Y.—License to cover CP which authorized new FM station.

Modification of CP

KOCY-FM Oklahoma City—Mod. CP new FM station for extension of completion date.

WJHL-FM Johnson City, Tenn.—Same.

WARL-FM Arlington, Va.—Mod. CP new FM station to change Class from A to B, frequency from 105.5 mc to 105.9 mc, specify ERP of 13.7 kw, ant. height above average terrain 343.5 ft.

WRNL-FM Richmond, Va.—Mod. CP new FM station to change ERP from 43.7 kw to 50 kw, decrease ant. height above average terrain from 430 ft. to 357 ft. 9 in.

WHTN-FM Huntington, W. Va.—Mod. CP new FM station for extension of completion date.

TV-82-88 mc
Don Lee Bstg. System, La Jolla, Calif.—CP new commercial television station on Channel 6, 82-88 mc, ERP vis. 20 kw, aur. 10 kw unli.

Modification of CP
WEBZ Chicago—Mod. CP new non-commercial educational FM station for extension of completion date.

License Renewal
Applications for renewal of standard broadcast license filed by: WINS New York and WTOP Toledo, Ohio.

TENDERED FOR FILING

Modification of CP
KPDR Alexandria, La.—Mod. CP change power from 500 w-N 1 kw-D to 1 kw DN and make changes in DA-N (970 kc).

TV-66-72 mc
Donroy Bstg. Co., Fresno, Calif.—CP new commercial television station on Channel 4, 66-72 mc, ERP vis. 15 kw, aur. 7.5 kw.

TV-174-180 mc
Beck Studios Inc., Minneapolis—CP new commercial television station on Channel 7, 174-180 mc, ERP vis. 18.0 kw, aur. 9.0 kw.

TV-82-88 mc
George E. Cameron Jr., Tulsa, Okla.—CP new commercial television station on Channel 6, 82-88 mc, ERP vis. 16.55 kw, aur. 8.53 kw.

TV-192-198 mc
Hearst Radio Inc., Milwaukee—CP new commercial television station on Channel 10, 192-198 mc, ERP vis. 30 kw, aur. 16 kw.

March 25 Decisions . . .

BY COMMISSION EN BANC

Operator Licenses
Proposed further rule looking to establishment of three additional classes of broadcast operator licenses; Limited Broadcast Operator, Broadcast Technician Operator and Broadcast Engineer Operator. Hearing is scheduled May 10.

Petition Granted
WBNX New York—Adopted order granting petition for reconsideration and grant without hearing of application for renewal of license for the period ending Nov. 1, 1950.

Transfer of Control
WIMS Michigan City, Ind.—Granted consent to voluntary transfer of control over Northern Indiana Bcstrs. Inc. from present stockholders, none of whom controls majority, to one of stockholders, O. E. Richardson, which will give him total of 2,040 sh., or 51% of 4000 sh. outstanding stock of licensee.

Assignment of CP
KOWL Santa Monica, Calif.—Granted consent to assignment of CP from

Arthur H. Croghan to KOWL Inc., corporation in which he and Gene Autry will each have 50% interest, Autry to acquire his interest for \$80,000.

Assignment of License
WMJM Cordele, Ga.—Granted voluntary assignment of license of station WMJM from Cordele Dispatch Pub. Co. Inc. to James S. Rivers, tr/as Southeastern Bstg. System.

Transfer of Control
WTTM WTM-FM Trenton, N. J.—Granted voluntary transfer of control of Trent Broadcast Corp., licensee of AM station WTTM and permittee of FM station WTTM-FM, from Elmer H. Wene to S. Carl Mark, for sum of \$165,000, representing 50% or 490 sh.

FM-107.5 mc
Louise C. Carlson, New Orleans—Authorized cond. grant for Class B FM station; proposed Channel 298, 107.5 mc, subject to further review and approval of engineering cond.

FM-97.9 mc
Maranatha Bstg. Co. Inc., Los Angeles—Authorized cond. grant for Class B FM station; proposed Channel 250, 97.9 mc, subject to further review and approval of engineering details.

AM-1580 kc
Weldon Lawson, Sequin, Tex.—Granted CP new station 1580 kc 250 w D; engineering cond.

AM-1230 kc
Hill City Bstg. Corp., Lynchburg, Va.—Granted CP new station 1230 kc 250 w unli. subject to approval of proposed trans. site and ant. system by CAA, and further, provided that no operation occurs until WLVA ceases operation on 1230 kc.

AM-1450 kc
Rockbridge Bstg. Corp., Lexington, Va.—Granted CP new station 1450 kc 250 w unli.; engineering cond.

AM-1240 kc
WROV Roanoke, Va.—Granted CP change frequency from 1490 to 1240 kc, provided no operation be commenced until WSLS Roanoke ceases operation on 1240 kc and changes to 610 kc in conformity with CP granted.

Hearing Designated
WTPS New Orleans—Designated for hearing application to change power and hours from 1 kw-D to 500 w-N 1 kw-LS unli. and install DA-N (940 kc).

AM-1290 kc
KITO San Bernardino, Calif.—Granted CP increase power from 1 to 5 kw, change type trans., and make changes in DA, provided applicant satisfies all legitimate complaints of blanket interference occurring within 250 mv/m contours.

Modification of CP
WBEL Beloit, Wis.—Granted mod. CP to change type trans. and for approval of ant. and trans. location, and specify studio location.

Petition Denied
Mrs. Pearl M. Patrick and Grayden L. Newman, Birmingham, Ala.—Adopted order denying petition for reinstatement of CP granted Nov. 14, 1946, to General Bstg. Co. for new AM station in Birmingham.

Petition Granted
The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Independence, Mo.—Adopted order granting petition requesting that its application for new station be designated for hearing with application of Kansas City Bstg. Co. Inc., Kansas City, because of prohibitive interference; de-



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